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## Brown invites Sultan to U.S.

AMMAN, Feb. 12 (SPA)—U.S. Secretary of Defense Harold Brown arrived here Monday after a three-day official visit to the Kingdom.

The Saudi Press Agency said Brown and Prince Sultan, minister of defense, held talks on U.S.-Saudi relations. The talks dealt with issues of common interest in preparation for the forthcoming visit of Crown Prince Fahd to the United States next month, it added.

Brown invited Prince Sultan to visit the United States. Prince Sultan accepted the invitation at a date to be fixed for later.

A statement issued after Brown's visit said the American secretary of defense toured several development projects and attended a display by a squadron of Saudi I-5 aircraft.

A friendly atmosphere pre-



Prince Sultan

vailed at the talks" as the two ministers reviewed the close Saudi-American relations, the statement said.

Brown is scheduled to meet King Hussein of Jordan later Monday.

After his talks here, Brown will proceed to Israel, then to Egypt.

Speaking at a luncheon before he flew to Dhahran from Riyadh, Brown said the U.S. if firmly committed to the security of the Kingdom "and

Brown stressed the need for coordination in security matters adding that his government would try to abort Soviet attempts to foment conflicts in the region.

Brown and Crown Prince Fahd had also discussed general preparation for Fahd's visit to the White House next month during their Riyadh talks over the weekend.

A Pentagon official, asked to elaborate what U.S. President Carter was referring to specifically in his offer of closer consultations replied: "Like this visit, for instance, according to Reuter.

The United States, he added, envisaged periodic meetings between the two nations at defense ministerial level.

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Hussein and Tito, two of the world's most durable leaders, discussed the Middle East situation and the nonaligned movement in what an official communiqué said was "full agreement." No formal accords were signed, but both leaders pledged to increase their countries' trade, which amounted to a meager \$11 million last year.

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## Carter supports Bazargan

### New government in firm control

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP)—President Jimmy Carter said Monday night that the United States is "ready to work with" the new government of Iran and that the U.S. government has been in contact with it.

Carter spoke at a press conference just hours after Mehdi Bazargan moved into the Prime Minister's office in Tehran and his new revolutionary government had reported that all resistance by the armed forces had

ceased.

However, as thousands of armed youth roamed the streets of Tehran threatening symbols of the old monarchy and its foreign allies, the new government said it was having trouble controlling some of its supporters.

Three generals loyal to the Shah were reported killed. Ayatollah Khomeini appealed to his victorious followers for order and the surrender of thousands of looted weapons.

At his press conference in Washington, Carter said the United States' objective, "has been a stable and independent Iran which maintains good relations with America."

He said he hoped, "the differences that have divided the people of Iran for so many months have ended."

Khomeini's 14-year fight to convert Iran from a monarchy to an Islamic republic succeeded Sunday after two days of bloody street fighting in Tehran. The turning point came when the armed forces chief of staff ordered all troops back to their barracks and declared his support for the 78-year-old Muslim leader's revolution.

With the army no longer behind him, Prime Minister Shapour Bakhtiar was reported to have delivered his resignation to Bazargan. Khomeini's nominee to head a provisional government, Bakhtiar, dropped out of sight, though one highly placed source said he was under guard for his own protection.

Bazargan moved into Bakhtiar's vacated office Monday and immediately appointed a dismissed army intelligence chief as armed forces chief of staff.

He named Maj. Gen. Muhammad Vahid Gharani, dismissed during the late 1950s as chief of staff to replace Gen. Abbas Gharabgahi, who was appointed by the Shah and whose declaration of neutrality Sunday marked the end of the Iranian monarchy.

Bazargan's government was immediately recognized by Libya, Syria and Sudan, but except for Carter, the Western powers which had supported the Shah and Bakhtiar's 38-day government held off on declaring their recognition for the new government.

Kuwait said the changes occurring in Iran are "a purely domestic affair which concern only the friendly people of Iran."

TAKOVER: A rebel holds Iranian bread in one hand and his weapon in the other as he walks in the lobby of the Hilton Hotel in Tehran Monday after the insurgents took over the building to convert it to a hospital. — (AP wirephoto)

And Syrian President Hafez Asad sent a telegram of congratulations to Khomeini and pledged his country's support for the new government.

"We in Syria affirm our support and backing for the new regime that emerged from the revolution in Iran and adopted the principles of great Islam," Asad's cable said.

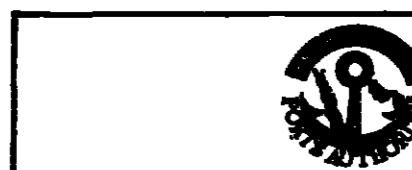
In the fighting which preceded the change of power, more than 200 persons were reportedly killed in Tehran, 150 in the northeastern city of Tabriz and 44 in the southern city of Shiraz.

Khomeini condemned "arson, destruction and cruelty" and said those indulging in such "savage acts" were "disobeying God's orders and are traitors to the Islamic movement."

Meanwhile, the new government's armed guerrillas rushed to threatened sites all over the capital, trying to maintain order.

They took up positions around the 13-story Intercontinental Hotel, headquarters of most of the Western press, to protect it from a crowd

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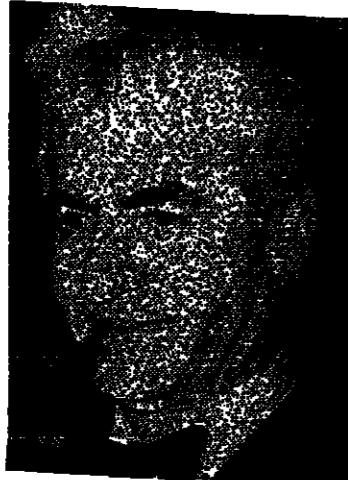


## Iran's U.S. mission supports Khomeini

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (R) — Portrait of Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini adorned the walls of the opulent Iranian Embassy Monday after supporters tore down pictures of the Shah amid scenes of jubilation and celebration.

Led by 12 diplomats who went on strike 27 days ago in protest against the Shah and his long-time supporter and ambassador here, Ardeshir Zahedi, supporters of the Ayatollah took over the embassy peacefully Sunday from six military attaches and armed guards who had been in control.

The takeover was the latest in a bizarre, often bewildering series of events at the embassy as supporters and opponents of the Shah have jockeyed for control of the ornate building on Massachusetts Avenue, Washington's "Embassy Row."



The Shah



Shahpour Bakhtiar

Monday 12 diplomats who had been on strike and five others dismissed last week by Zahedi — including acting Charge d'Affaires Assad Homayoun — were awaiting word from Tehran on the latest situation and instructions about their future.

Zahedi, a former son-in-law

two weeks ago in a dispute arising from removal of the Shah's portrait on instructions from the Foreign Ministry in Tehran, had surrendered their guns and left the embassy when asked.

In a separate interview, Minister Counsellor Jafar Fagih, who ranked third behind Zahedi and Homayoun, said he and other diplomats led the "assault" on the embassy that ousted the attachés.

And in Peking, two Iranian diplomats Monday pinned a large color portrait of the Shah with "CIA" scrawled across his forehead onto "Democracy Wall."

They also put three posters attacking American imperialism and supporting Khomeini onto the wall where China's free speech campaign has been waged.

But Iranian Ambassador Mahmoud Esfandyari said "we don't know anything at the embassy about it."

In Cairo, Ambassador Abbas Nayeri, who only last month received the Shah when he fled to Egypt, said Monday he had sent a cable pledging support to the new revolutionary government.

He said that the 20 diplomats in the heavily guarded embassy in Cairo were "awaiting instructions from the new government."

The charges were made by the acting Egyptian foreign minister, Boutros Ghali, in a letter to the commission. The text of the note was released in Cairo Saturday.

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## China, Vietnam exchange threats on border fighting

PEKING Feb. 12 (Agencies) — China and Vietnam have reported several fresh clashes along their border with nearly 100 killed or wounded in the past few weeks.

Both sides blamed each other over the weekend for the incidents and China warned Vietnam not to turn a deaf ear to what Peking had to say on the situation.

Vietnam has called on the United Nations to examine "the grave situation" on the frontier.

### NATO mission secretary reported arrested as spy

BONN, Feb. 12 (R)—A woman secretary at West Germany's Embassy of the NATO alliance in Brussels has been arrested on suspicion of spying for East Germany, the weekly news magazine "Der Spiegel" said Sunday.

The report said the 38-year-old blonde, Ingrid Garbe, was arrested last weekend. She worked in the embassy's Political Department and had access to top secret documents.

The documents passed on by Mrs. Garbe dealt chiefly with the Vienna East-West disarmament talks and negotiations between the United States and the Soviet Union on a limitation of strategic arms, "Der Spiegel" said.

The Foreign Ministry in Bonn, where Mrs. Garbe had been employed since 1971, declined to comment on the report.

But an official said the ministry would release an official statement Tuesday. The Federal Prosecutor's office in Karlsruhe was not immediately available for comment.

"Der Spiegel" said Mrs. Garbe was posted to Brussels in March, 1976. A year before, she had been approached by an East German agent.

Each country accused the other of escalating tension and moving forces into the region. China said Vietnam was "carrying on war mobilization" and that Hanoi's forces had been put on a state of high combat-readiness.

China also spoke of the "grave situation now arising" on the frontier and Vice-Premier Li Hsien-nien joined other Chinese leaders in warning Vietnam.

Vietnam has charged that Peking recently deployed "20

divisions, hundreds of fighter planes, numerous tanks and other war materials close to the China-Vietnam border" in a cable to the U.N.

Neither side has given a complete figure in border incidents, but both say they have suffered many casualties.

China's Hsinhua news agency reported Sunday that five Chinese guards were killed, 12 others wounded and one Vietnamese shot dead in Vietnamese "provocations" in Chinese border areas Feb. 6-10. Hanoi claims the Chinese have staged about 60 border incidents during this month.

The Voice of Vietnam Monday claimed that hundreds of Chinese troops crossed the border at Cao Lan Village in Vietnam's Lang Son Province, digging trenches and building gun emplacements about 200 meters inside Vietnamese territory.

The broadcast said some of the Chinese intruders penetrated as deep as 600 meters, felling trees to build a road, laying mines and building trenches and other fortifications in the area of Bao Loc village in the same province.



LONDON: Garbage uncollected during strikes by municipal workers in the center of the city. Monday the public employees threatened to escalate their action after local authorities ordered private contractors to move the mountains of trash. (AP photo)

### Out of control

## Fire ravages Indiana refinery

WHITING, Ind. Feb. 12 (AP) — A mammoth fire punctuated by thundering explosions raged through Standard Oil Co. refinery early Monday morning, forcing the evacuation of more than 1,000 nearby residents, police said.

Communications at the refinery were cut off by a power failure, but no injuries were immediately reported in this town of 7,500 just across the

Illinois-Indiana border from Chicago.

"The blaze is still out of control," a Whiting Fire Department official said early Monday. "There have been six explosions out there so far."

The blaze was traveling through pipelines and in storage areas, as flames shot more than 100 feet into the air, he said.

"We had to evacuate about

six blocks near the refinery. The people are being taken to the Whiting Community Center," Whiting police said.

The blaze began after the explosion of a high-octane gasoline converter, called an alky-former unit, the fire official said.

Some 100 firefighters from Whiting and surrounding municipalities were standing by outside the refinery in case the fire spread beyond the confines of the plant.

### Growth or decline unsure

## Polar bear populace puzzles pundits

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP) — Biologists are unsure if legal protections given polar bears have resulted in population increases, says a United States government biologist.

Once thought to be declining in numbers, polar bears were given legal protection by the United States, Norway and the Soviet Union.

But international researchers cannot agree on whether polar bear populations have increased or are declining, says Doug Demaster.

But Demaster claims biologists agree that more bears can be killed without endangering the species. Subsistence hunters such as Eskimos value the bear for its pelt and meat. Sportsmen consider the bear a trophy.

The United States stopped sport hunting of polar bears in 1972. Norway imposed a five-year moratorium on hunting in 1956, permitting the capture of 10 to 15 cubs per year in 1973. The Russians stopped most polar bear hunting in 1972 for zoos.



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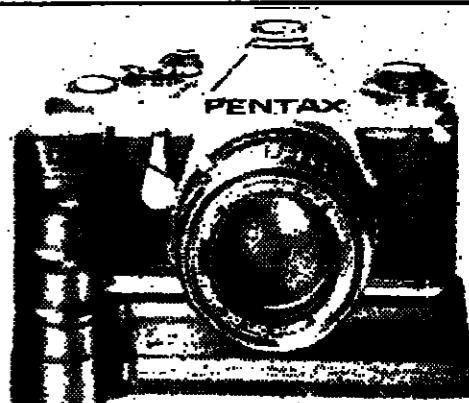
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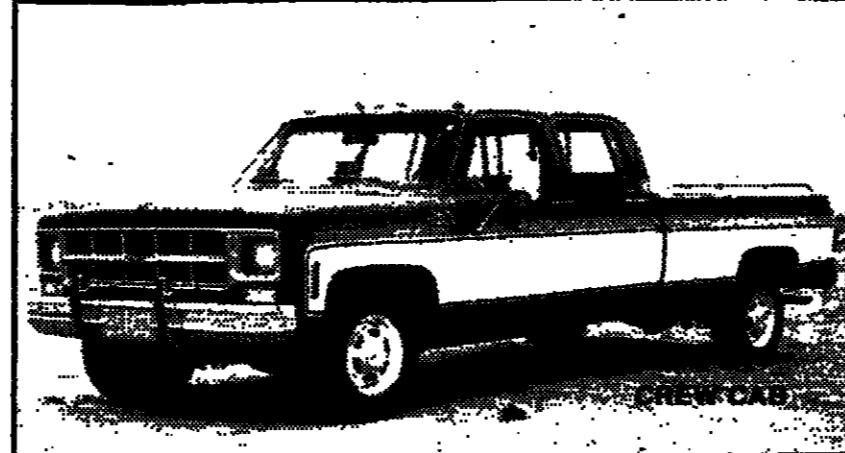
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## Disastrous batting leaves Australia struggling again

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 12 (AP) — Another appalling batting display put Australia on the canvas after the third day of the sixth Test against England Monday.

Australia had stumped to 70 for five and still needed to add another 40 runs to make England bat again.

The not out batsmen are first innings century-snake and captain Graham Yallop (13) and off-spinner Bruce Yardley (16).

Yallop said the wicket was like a minefield and was playing more like a fifth day wicket than a third day one.

The sight of Yallop bunched with his head between his hands whenever score was 48 for five summed up just how much notice his batsmen must have taken of the stern talk, he said, he gave them before the innings.

Test newcomer Andrew Hitchcock was the first to fall from a highly controversial catch by keeper Bob Taylor of Mike Hendrick's bowling

for one.

The ball appeared to drop just short of Taylor and Hitchcock was upset when given out.

Kim Hughes was out for seven when he got a popping delivery from John Emburey and the ball flew to Graham Gooch. Then Graham Wood, who was going along merrily on 29, went for a big hit off

### Walker outruns unrested Bayi

MONTREAL, Feb. 12 (R)

— New Zealand's John Walker ran a steady race against an all-star field including Tanzania's Fikret Bayi to win the featured one-mile event in three minutes, 56.8 seconds in an indoor athletics meet here Sunday night.

Bayi, who arrived here late Saturday night and looked it finished fast, one-half lap behind Walker, the Olympic 1,500-meter champion, Walker was well off the world

mark of 3:54.9.

In the morning, Australia was able to claim six wickets while conceding only 94 runs.

Jim Higgs, who appears to be

improving with every Test

scored four for 69 off 30 overs including eight maidens.

He was given able assistance by paceman Alan Miller who took three for 58 off 20 overs. Yardley proved expensive taking two wickets but at a cost of 105 off 25 overs.

David Gower, the talented England batsman, ended up with 65 after being 47 not out overnight. He was finally out when he got an edge to a tearing delivery from Higgs and was caught behind.

Bob Taylor, followed on his good form the fifth Test by spending 162 minutes at the wicket to be 36 not out at the end.



GLOOM: A gloomy Graham Yallop gives the ball to paceman Rodney Hogg, who ended the day with 42 for one. Australia did well to England to 94 runs Monday morning—but once again the side's fragile batting let it down.

### Racer busts Daytona mark, then wins 200 mph sprint

DAYTONA BEACH, Florida, Feb. 12 (AP) — Buddy Baker put on an awesome display of power and skill Sunday, obliterating the track record in qualifying for next week's Daytona 500, and then winning a 200 mph dash with Darrell Waltrip in the \$30,000 Busch Clash of '79.

Baker, for years the hard luck king of Daytona International Speedway, held Waltrip at bay the final five laps and protected a half-car length

victory margin to the finish line.

The average for the 50-mile sprint was a stunning 194.384 mph, but most of the lap times flirted with the 200 mph barrier. It was by far the fastest stock car race in history.

Waltrip took the lead from position starter Benny Parsons at the start of the nine-driver race, comprising the pole position winners from the 30 Grand National stock car races in 1978.

But Baker glided past going into the second turn on the second lap and stayed there — except for the 15th of 20 circuits, when Waltrip put the nose of his car briefly in front.

Earlier Baker shook up the competition with an effort of 196.049 mph that broke a 10-year-old track record and netted him the pole position for the world's most prestigious stock car race, the Daytona 500 next Sunday.

Leading placings:

1. Baker (29-19). 2. Andretti (25-19). 3. Loken (23-19). 4. Bruges (23-19).

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Braga 0 Benfica 2

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Leading placings:

1. Benfica (29-18). 2. Porto (23-19). 3. Sporting (26-19). 4. Braga (22-19).

### Tour wrangle settled

## Borg slams Connors for 3rd year

BOCA WEST, Florida, Feb. 12 (R) — Sweden's Bjorn Borg sliced winners from the baseline past the net-rushing Jimmy Connors, Sunday won the \$300,000 Grand Slam Tennis Tournament, 6-2, 6-3.

The victory by the 22-year-old Swedish champion, winner of last year's Wimbledon and French championships, earned him \$150,000 in prize money. It was the third consecutive time he has beaten Connors in the finals of this event, which brings together the winners of the four most prestigious tournaments on the international tennis circuit.

In the consolation battle, John McEnroe, who lost to Connors on Friday, beat Argentina's Guillermo Vilas, who lost Saturday to Borg 6-4, 6-2.

Borg quickly took control of Sunday's match, breaking Connors' serve in the third game of the first set. He then held on to his serve and eventually took the set, 6-2.

Down 1-4 in the second set,

Connors staged a brief rally when he put together a string of punishing volleys to break Borg's serve for the first time in the match in the sixth game and then survived a break point in the next game to narrow the gap to 3-4.

In the crucial eighth game, the score went to deuce three times before Borg finally prevailed, pulling ahead with a spectacular backhand volley and then sealing the verdict with a forehand passing shot.

Earlier Sunday, Connors, Borg, McEnroe, and Vilas reached an agreement Sunday with the Men's International Professional Council to ensure their participation in this year's Grand Prix tour.

The players had threatened to boycott the Grand Prix tournaments because they were angered over new rules that designated them to play in six tournaments, including low-prize money events, and limiting the number of lucrative exhibition tournaments they could play.

The revised rules agreed Sunday allow the players to vote one of the six designated tournaments. The number of

allowed exhibitions that can be played is raised from three to six.

Even worse, meanwhile in Seattle, Washington, top-seeded Chris Evert, who seemed content to

hammer returns from the baseline for most of the match, concluded Renee Richards 6-1, 3-6, 6-3 Sunday to win

her first tournament of the year on the women's professional circuit.

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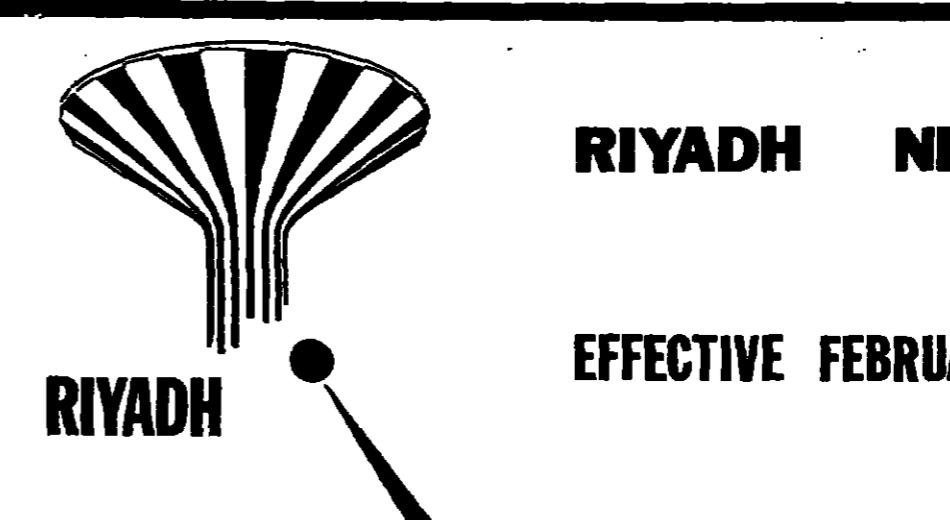
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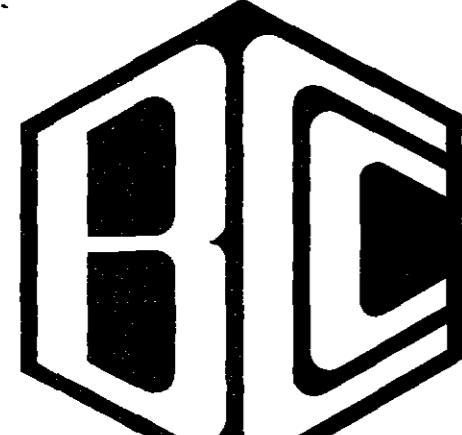
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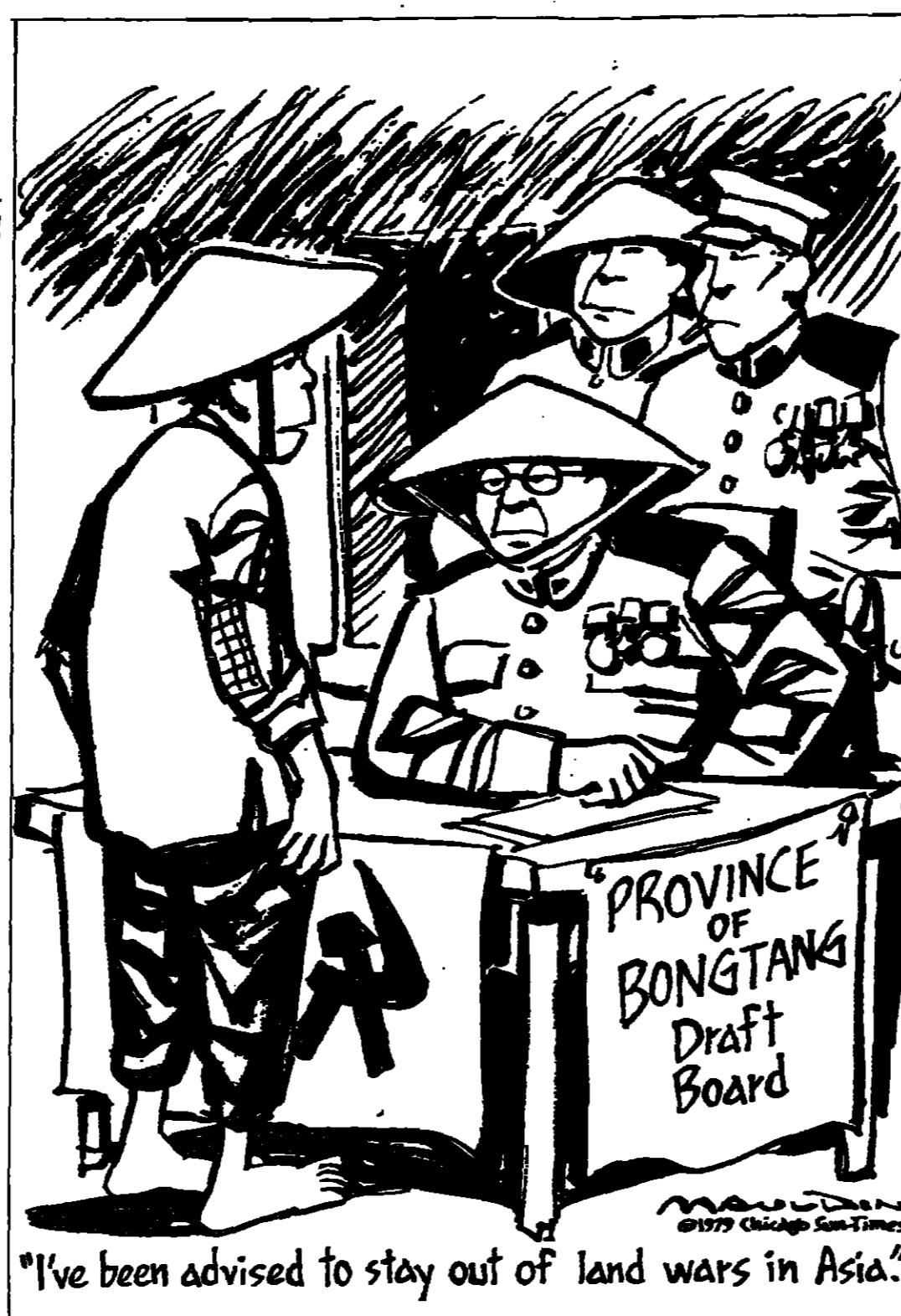
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## LURKING DANGERS

The upheaval in Iran which has resulted in the destruction of the old order is up till now a purely internal matter however exorcising it may have been. Ayatollah Khomeini has emerged as the undisputed leader of 33 million devout Muslim followers and it is entirely up to him now to shape the destiny of the country for the foreseeable future.

There should be no ground for anxiety on the part of Iran's neighbors as long as the Ayatollah pursues his vision of a pure Islamic republic and a more balanced foreign policy. Indeed, he and his government may even be more solicitous of his Arab neighbors than the ousted Shah who had looked down at other Gulf states. But it would not be improper to warn of the dangers that lurk behind the present wave of communist support for the anti-Shah movement and their attempt to ride the crest of the revolution as they customarily do. Thus it was not so astonishing to read that the communist junta of Iran talk of close cooperation with the staunchly Muslim nationalists and refer, already, to working closely with "progressive Muslims", a term that invariably has Marxist connotations. How can the Ayatollah and his fervently Muslim disciples ever work hand in glove with a group of people who are as ferociously anti-Islam as they come? Nor is it conceivable to imagine a coalition government between a party that advocates the restoration of Islamic purity at all levels of human conduct, and another that dedicates itself to the elimination of religion as a waste of time and energy.

The Ayatollah had accused the Shah and his regime of being less Muslim than they should have been. Well, what will he think of the Tudeh party that now claims to be a partner in the victory against the Shah, and, therefore, a shareholder of power? The next few weeks could be as agonizing for the new order as the past few have been for the old one, and it would be interesting to see how the Ayatollah would deal with those who try to hitch on to his bandwagon while they plot a seizure of power once the dust and euphoria of the change of regime have settled down.

## THE QUEEN

The Queen arrived in Kuwait yesterday, starting the Gulf tour that will take her to Riyadh and Dhahran. It is the first visit to the Gulf by a British monarch, and one that has a significance pointed by the cancellation of her visit to Iran.

At a time when the nerves of the West are jangling over turbulence in the world on which it depends for the oil that keeps it alive, a reminder of the virtues of stability is only too timely.

And as far as the Kingdom is concerned, it is a reminder that the blend of tradition and modernity that Britain shows to such advantage in the person of the Queen must be appropriate for other societies. A monarchy that takes account of the wishes of its people has survived and shown its strength since the restoration of Charles II in 1660. British consensus rule is not unlike that of Saudi Arabia.

It will not be the ordinary political leader's visit. The Queen has almost no power in the British constitution, beyond the theoretical. The trip is rather a reaffirmation of long ties based on a colonial past than many Britain has shared.

In recent years Britain helped establish the United Arab Emirates and dissuaded Iran from taking over Bahrain on its withdrawal from the Gulf in 1971.

Since the demise of Beirut many Saudis have known London as a second home, and Britain has given the Kingdom much assistance in defense and development.

Although Britain was as good as eclipsed by the United States in its relations with Saudi Arabia from the very foundation of the Kingdom of the Hejaz and Nejd by King Abdul Aziz, Sir Winston Churchill met Abdul Aziz in Cairo during World War II and King Faisal, then Prince, visited Britain in the 1930s.

It is worth quoting the "Manchester Guardian" of December 1940, writing on how the Royal Navy had kept the sea lanes open for the Pilgrimage. Describing the different races gathering at Mecca, it wrote: "They see for themselves an Arabian state reborn under a wise and firm but kindly monarch; and, even as in making their journey they are under obligation to the British government, so they will find on Arabian soil a tangible and enduring proof of British goodwill in our friendly relations with a sovereign whose accession enjoyed our benevolent regard."

## End of Iran's arms boom

By John de St. Jorre

TEHRAN —

Iran's minister of war called in the general in charge of foreign arms purchases one day last week and, as the foot-soldiers of the revolution surged past his window, told the anxious officer that the kitty was empty.

Henceforth, not a cent would be available for foreign weapons or for their local manufacture. Times were hard, said the minister, so hard that he doubted whether there would be enough cash to go on paying for the heating and lighting of the general's own office.

The impact of that decision has already been felt in the arsenals of the West and soon it will be reaching the hundreds of thousands of Iranians employed in local industries connected with the arms business.

The Americans and British have lost most in actual or potential sales, but others, including the Germans, Italians, Dutch and Russians, are also affected. The last payment was made six weeks ago, curiously enough to the Soviet Union — a sum of \$60 million, while the Americans and British were told that they would have to wait until the situation clarified.

While the Western arms suppliers are busy flying out their personnel and salvaging what they can from the tangential skein of deals, contracts and licensing agreements made with the Shah, General Hassan Toufanian, who heads the Military Industrial Organization (MIO), the Iranian end of the arms trade, finds himself in the position of a wealthy and expectant heir who is suddenly disinherited.

The Military Industrial Orga-

nization, with ten subsidiary companies throughout the country, grew into a powerful and well-organized corporate business during the country's prosperous years.

It not only manufactures arms and engines and assembling vehicles, but has branched out into the production of tires, batteries and the servicing of civilian organizations like Iran Air.

Toufanian, a former Air Force officer now in his sixties, has run the MIO for 16 years and has the reputation of being a dynamic and enlightened employer. When the political situation is more settled money may trickle back to the civilian side of the organization's operations, but sources here estimate that hundreds of thousands of Iranian workers are going to be laid off for a considerable period of time.

The huge American presence is running down. The Military Assistance and Advisory Group numbers about a thousand, but another 250 technicians are expected to leave shortly. Bell Helicopters is down from a peak of 4,000-plus families to half that figure and it expects to reduce further to what Bell's manager calls "a hardcore cadre" of a little over 500. Other American aeronautical firms like Grumman, Lockheed and Northrop are also reducing their staffs.

The American losses in sales — around \$7 billion — involved potential sales rather than equipment in the pipeline, and the U.S. Government still had \$160 million worth of Iranian credits in Washington. There seems no doubt that, whatever government emerges here, the decision to scrap the deal is final, although the Iranian Air Force, whose equipment is 90

per cent American, will remain dependent on the United States for a long time.

While much of the British involvement is in the realm of future sales too, some of it falls into the pipeline category and a period of difficult negotiation is envisaged. American law demands that all arms sales must be pre-funded wherever the British system is more flexible and allows, in certain cases, payment on delivery.

The total loss to Britain in future sales is estimated to be about \$2 billion. The most important single item is the order for 1,000 Chieftain tanks, specifically modified and renamed the "Star" ("Lion") for the Iranian Army.

Iran already has 1,000 ordinary Chieftains and the measure of the Shah's ambitions may perhaps not so much in the size of the new order — though that seemed excessive to many — but in the sophistication of the Star. The more advanced version of the Star called the Shir Iran will have the famous "Chobham" armor which can withstand a direct hit from any known anti-tank missile. With its Rolls-Royce engine it will be a remarkable armored vehicle that even the British Army has not yet acquired.

However, it transpires the Iranian revolution has neither the need nor the money for tanks, revolutionary or otherwise, and the cancellation of the order is that of the Americans' 160 advanced F-16 fighters.

Although the Soviet Union is not in the same arms league it too may experience some losses. Over the last four years Moscow had sold \$2 billion worth of military hardware to Iran. (OPNS)

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## saudi press review

President Carter's visit to Mexico is mainly concerned with that country's growing oil wealth, American need for it and the suspension of Iranian oil production for export according to "Al-Riyad". Mexican oil has been of special importance lately to the United States, Western Europe and Japan as the CIA has published highly optimistic estimates of potential Mexican oil production and reserves. President Carter's visit comes, therefore, as a result of certain compelling economic and political changes, the paper said. The discovery of oil on this scale, the paper said, although current production cannot fulfil the American import quota, nor does the U.S. want the Mexicans to increase production to such an extent even if the Mexicans want to do so in order to fin-

ance their development. OPEC states are happy to note the volume of Mexican production and reserves since these would reduce their own and, therefore, save their oil from fast depletion. Some new facts are bound to emerge from the American president's visit to Mexico which is urging the U.S. to coordinate with the oil producers for the sake of a just world monetary and economic system.

A commentator in "Al-Medina" said that the present drainage scheme of Jeddah which is being carried out by Redec was designed to cater to the needs of a maximum population of 200,000 whereas the population today stands at nearly one million. The writer said that the director of the water and drainage department of the western region Yahya Koshak had proposed some temporary solutions which would cost SR200 million but, despite the importance of the scheme, the money has not

been earmarked for it. The writer appealed to Crown Prince Fahd to look into the matter for he is most qualified to take a decision in this regard.

"Al-Riyad" editorial discussed the Iranian situation following the resignation of Badih and the massacres that now take place and may continue to if wisdom does not prevail at once. The neutrality of the armed forces may be the first step in deciding the issue. Khomeini may ask his provisional government to resign and call for a plebiscite under the supervision of a third party. Killing should stop immediately, the paper said, for it is inconceivable to establish an Islamic republic on dead bodies and it is impossible to found a legal government by force. The country faces an unknown fate, let us say, is gone with Badih and the opposition which is close to capturing power is also exposed to the same dan-

## Human rights in Israel

By Oswald Johnston  
WASHINGTON —

After prolonged debate, the U.S. State Department again has charged Israel with occasional abuses of the human rights of Palestinians in occupied territories, but has refused to endorse charges that the violations amount to a systematic practice.

The report, released Thursday by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, concluded that, "The accumulation of reports, some from credible sources, makes it appear that instances of mistreatment have occurred."

As in the recent past, foreign policy specialists in the State Department's new human rights bureaucracy collaborated in preparing the report, one of some 115 similar accounts of human rights practices in countries to which the United States extends aid.

But this year, for the first time, the Israel report was based partly on an accumulation of interviews with West Bank Palestinians by an official in the U.S. Consulate in Jerusalem. These reports formed a basis of a classified re-

port to the State Department that was cabled from the consulate late last May. The report has become known in Department annals as "Jerusalem 1500" — its file designation.

Officials said the allegation of that report — written by Alexander Johnson, a Foreign Service officer since dismissed — were not corroborated and in almost all cases referred to incidents of torture or mistreatment said to have taken place two, three or four years ago.

But the officials conceded that the report had an impact on State Department personnel responsible for preparing the annual rights report to Congress. Despite the obvious imperfections of keeping an issue of such sensitivity insulated from the Middle East peace process, officials drafting the report hinted that they were more concerned than they had been on this issue.

In the report published early in February 1977, the human rights and Middle East specialists noted published accounts of Israeli practices — especially a long, well-documented account in the London "Sunday Times" — and concluded: "We know of no evidence

to support allegations that Israel follows a consistent practice or policy of using torture during interrogations. However, there are documented reports of the use of extreme physical and psychological pressure during interrogation, and instances of brutality by individual interrogators cannot be ruled out."

This year there was no explicit denial that there is a consistent policy of mistreatment, only an observation, which was not endorsed, that "many West Bank Arabs continue to allege... that mistreatment of detainees is a systematic practice." The observation this year that "some reports of individual mistreatment are credible" was held by some officials to be an important departure from last year's report.

Reporters in Jerusalem and Washington were aware last summer of the existence of the "Jerusalem 1500" cable. But information available then indicated that the information it contained was uncorroborated and that, under legal restrictions governing classified reports, the informants were for the most part anonymous. (LAT)

## Libyan oil threat

By Norman Kempster  
WASHINGTON —

The head of a Libyan goodwill delegation has said that his country might shut off oil exports to the United States if this country does not change its pro-Israel foreign policy.

Nearing the end of a month-long tour of the United States, Ahmed Shahati said last week that the relationship between Libya and the United States has been strained because of Zionist pressure.

"I think if the American people are really interested in the continuation of imports of Arab oil and the continuation of commercial ties, they have to be aware of what is happening," Shahati told reporters through an interpreter.

Shahati, a close adviser to Col. Muammar Qaddafi, the chief of the Libyan government, also attacked as "really weak" the governors — including California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. — who refused to greet his delegation in their state.

"Every American who shows his good intentions toward the Arabs has been subjected to harsh pressure from the Zionists," he said.

Shahati said that Libya believes it has a responsibility to continue selling oil on the world market but that are basic principles we are not going to give up, no matter what that may cost us. We in Libya lived for a thousand years without selling oil and maybe some day we will be

able to live without it (again) if our dignity and strategic interests are in danger."

Asked if he was threatening a new oil embargo, Shahati said, "Your (American) interests are on the side of the Arabs but your support is for the Israelis. This formula must be corrected. Your policy must be corrected. Your interests are for your interests."

Shahati and his 30-member delegation came to the United States last month in an effort to promote good will and to combat the image of Libya as a bankroller of international terrorism.

But the trip turned into a public relations disaster. Several governors and mayors snubbed the Libyans and their appearances were marked by noisy disruptions by Jewish militants.

In Georgia, the delegation's first stop, Billy Carter, the president's brother, acted as tour guide. He also supplied a sort of sidebar that distracted attention from the Libyans' true purpose.

Billy Carter was not mentioned often at the final press lunch. When his name came up, the Libyans said that they considered him a friend but refused to discuss his antics. (LAT)

## Trade talk snags

By Helen Dewar  
WASHINGTON —

U.S. special trade representative Robert S. Strauss has urged Congress that failure to extend the government's authority to waive penalty duties on subsidized imports will doom the latest round of trade-liberalizing talks now nearing completion in Geneva.

"This issue has become the key procedurally to our ability to conclude an acceptable agreement," Strauss told the House Ways and Means Trade Subcommittee as it began consideration of the proposed trade-liberalizing talks now nearing completion in Geneva.

Strauss' claim that improved trade rules hinge on extension

of the waiver was greeted with skepticism by the AFL-CIO, the nation's largest labor union organization and the only major group to oppose the extension, and by Rep. William J. Hughes, Democrat of New Jersey, whose district includes a butter-cookie maker threatened by subsidized cookie imports from Denmark.

European and other countries are threatening to hold off final approval of the new trade agreements until they are assured the waiver will be extended.

Hence the Carter administration, apparently believing the threat, views the extension as critical to the whole four-year effort aimed at lowering both tariff and non-tariff barriers to trade, including the subsidies

good, according to "Olive" editorial. The situation was made worse when the Soviet Union and its agents flooded the country with arms which found its way to the demonstrators. A civil strife raged unchecked and this is just fine as far as

concerned. When the right moment comes, the Communists will attempt a takeover, the paper said. It is up to the Iranian nationalists now to be aware of Communist intrigues, put an end to the civil war and foil their attempts to seize power.





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# Bakhtiar's fall triggers dollar decline; gold rises

LONDON, Feb. 12 (AP) — The fall of the Bakhtiar government in Iran pushed the dollar lower against European currencies Monday.

As the dollar slipped the price of gold rose, going up in London by nearly \$7 an ounce to \$249.60 and approaching the record closing high of \$250.50 reached last Wednesday.

In Zurich, the major European trading center for bullion, gold stood at \$250 an ounce, up \$3 from Friday's closing of \$247. The price rose steadily as soon as the market got under way, starting at 247.375.

Early dollar exchange rates compared with Friday's late rates:

Frankfurt — 1.8412 West German marks, down from 1.85.

Zurich — 1.6577 Swiss francs, down from 1.6625.

Paris — 4.2323 French francs, down from 4.24475.

Amsterdam — 1.98865 Dutch guilders, down from 1.999.

Milan — 832.75 Italian lire, down from 834.025.

In London one British pound cost \$2.0110, nearly one cent more expensive than on Friday.

Currency trading was closed in Tokyo for a national holiday.

In London, British dealers said the pound buoyed by North Sea oil and government

refusal to concede massive pay claims — held up well against other currencies. They said the dollar would be the currency most vulnerable to the upheaval in Iran, the world's second biggest oil exporter.

However, dealers added activity in the Foreign Exchange Market was "not much greater than usual." On the Stock Market, oil shares were the most active, with prices fluctuating.

## French president facing acute industrial crisis

PARIS, Feb. 12 (R) — French President Valery Giscard d'E斯塔ing flew back to France from Africa Sunday to face an increasingly violent industrial crisis.

Last Friday while Giscard was visiting Cameroun, anger at unemployment triggered clashes in places such as in Lorraine in the northeast.

Steel industry workers — are refusing to accept government plans to cut the work force by more than 20,000 by the end of 1980 — staged the most dramatic protests on Friday.

In Lorraine, which produces 42 per cent of the country's steel, a commando hijacked goods train near Longwy and spilled its 1,500-ton cargo of iron ore onto the main Paris-Luxembourg railway line.

A few hours later 2,500 steelworkers from the Lille region drove to Paris in a fleet of hired coaches and blocked much-hour traffic on the capital's orbital road.

Later the protesters clashed violently with riot police as they tried to use their coaches to block the Paris-Lille motorway. Thirty-five policemen were reported injured.

The ports of Rochechouart, La Rochelle and Nantes were shut down by strikers. In Brittany firemen demanding better pay occupied government offices in Lorient and Carnac.

Of all the sectors of industry hit by the current crisis — unemployment is officially put at about 1.3 million — the steelmen are the most militant and the most determined to survive.

The French steel industry which lost six billion francs (\$1.4 billion) in 1977, suffers from low productivity and falling demand.

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATES

Opening Monday	SAMA	Cash	Transfer
U.S. Dollar	3.36	3.37	3.36
Pound Sterling	6.73	6.80	6.80
Deutsche Mark	1.82 (100)	183.00	184.50
Swiss F	2.03 (100)	209.00	203.00
French F	0.79 (100)	79.50	79.50
Italian Lira (100)	—	4.00	4.05
Lebanese Lira (100)	—	108.50	107.25
Syrian Lira (100)	—	80.00	86.65
Egyptian Pound	—	4.55	4.82
Kuwaiti Dinar	—	12.32	12.32
Jordanian Dinar	—	11.35	11.35
Emirates Dirham (100)	—	87.00	87.80
Qatar Riyal (100)	—	87.00	87.80
Bahraini Dinar	—	8.70	8.70
Iranian Riyal (100)	—	—	46.50
Iraqi Dinar	—	9.40	—
Yemeni Riyal (100)	—	—	74.00
Moroccan Dirham (100)	—	79.00	88.25
Indian Rupee (100)	—	—	41.25
Pakistani Rupee (100)	—	—	34.30
Gold kg	—	26,700	—
10 Tolas bar	—	3,150	—
Silver kg bar	—	700	—
Japanese yen (100)	1.69	—	—
Canadian dollar	2.81	—	—
Belgian franc (10)	1.15	—	—
Dutch guilder	1.68	—	—
Italian Lira (100)	0.40	—	—

SAMA rates announced by the Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, based on average rates on the London money market and the official price of the U.S. dollar.

Cash and transfer rates supplied by Al-Rajhi Company for currency Exchange and Commerce, Gabel St., Jeddah.



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KING ABDUL AZIZ PORT  
DAMMAM

### SHIP MOVEMENTS UP TO THE MORNING OF

CHANGES PAST 24 HRS.

DATE: 15.3.1399 / 12.2.1979

TIME: 0700 HRS.

1-Vessels Working the Ship Agent Type of cargo Arrival Date Berth No.

4 SHARP ISLAND	U.E.P.	GEN/CONT	5/2/1979
7 ROSEN	BARBER	GENERAL	5/2/1979
8 NEDLLOYD LEK	ALSO	GEN/CONT	11/2/1979
9 MARITIME LOYALTY	U.P.	RICE/GENERAL	10/2/1979
10 NEDLLOYD	S. M. C.	GENERAL	11/2/1979
14 ARYA JAHAN	A.E.T.	GENERAL	11/2/1979
15 NEDLLOYD	KANOO	GENERAL	10/2/1979
17 ARYA NAZ	A.E.T.	GENERAL	10/2/1979
18 GOLDEN SEASON	U.P.	GENERAL	11/2/1979
19 EVER HONESTY	U.P.	C. CEMENT	8/2/1979
22 ALIOUSSA	GOSAIBI	C. CEMENT	8/2/1979
21 ASIA ROSE (D.E.)	ALI REZA	BULK CEMENT	5/2/1979
26 ASIA OHO	GULF	GENERAL	3/2/1979
27 BE INHARD-S	ALSAADA	STEEL/GENERAL	11/2/1979

2-Recent Arrivals

FINNENSO	SMC	GENERAL	11/2/1979
GOLDEN SEASON	ORRI	GENERAL	11/2/1979
MERZARIO ASIA	A.E.T.	RO. RO	11/2/1979
NEDLLOYD LEK	KANOO	GEN/CONT	11/2/1979
NADA	BARBER	VEHICLES	11/2/1979
ARYA JAHAN	A.E.T.	GENERAL	11/2/1979
BERNHARDSS	ALSAADA	STEEL/GENERAL	11/2/1979

3-Vessels Expected With in 24 Hours.

KYOUN	ALIREZA
NEDLLOYD ROUEN	KANOO
HANNAH LU	GOSAIBI
SPAN TERZA	ALSAADA

4-Tonnages Discharged:(Freight Tons): 40,904

5-WAITING TIME: NIL

Note: Importers having goods on the above mentioned ships should complete their formalities as soon as possible. For any inquiries please contact the Shipping Agents.



GO FLY A KITE: Kite hawker presides over varied collection of Japanese flyables including minikites, hand painted works of art and kites bearing Japanese writing. All were on sale last week at the Oji Inari Shrine in Tokyo, which holds an annual kite festival (AP photo)

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# Jackson calls for Sunday gasoline ban immediately



WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (Agencies) — Senator Henry Jackson, chairman of the Senate Energy Committee, has urged an immediate ban on gasoline sales on Sundays as "part of the discipline this country must get into."

Jackson said it was "not a question of whether, but of when" a petrol rationing plan was introduced and added it was time President Carter told Americans how serious the energy situation was.

Jackson, D-Wash., was speaking in an interview with the CBS' "Face of the Nation" television program Sunday.

With the current problems in Iran "there isn't any question that we will have to short

Jackson said a gasoline allocation plan is expected to be in place by April 1, but should be implemented sooner.

"The earlier we start to conserve, the less traumatic it will be for the American people," he said.

The senator did not detail other oil conservation measures, but said that this year when Americans "go to the gasoline pump, they'll have to stand in line and they're going to pay 6 dollars a gallon for gasoline."

Jackson said he believed an Iranian government under Ayatollah Khomeini would virtually dry up oil supplies from Iran for the United States and its Western allies.

## Saudi Arabian Government Tenders

Authority	Description	No. of Tender	Price SR	Closing Date
* Ministry of Education	Building of a subsidiary health unit in Haif Al-Baten	18/M	500	March 24
* Ministry of Education, Department of Food Purchases	Supply of uncooked dry meals to the school children drawn for the academic year 1979/80	3	5000	May 7
* Armed Forces Medical Services	Medical equipment	1	200	March 31
* Directorate General of Meteorology	Construction of 17 automatic stations with annexes	2	1000	March 31
* Governorate of Qassim region	Maintenance and operation of lifts	1	50	Feb. 26
*	Maintenance and operation of central airconditioning plan	2	50	Feb. 26
* Municipality of Tabuk	Supply of low tension insulated cables (600—1000 Volts)	xx	100	March 17



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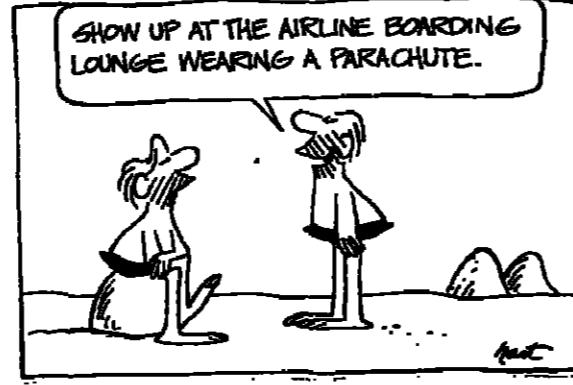
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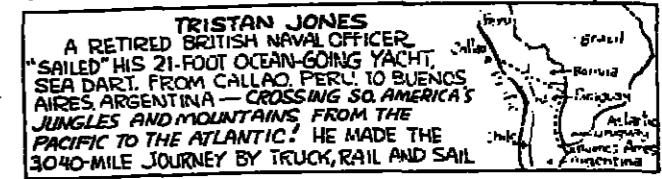
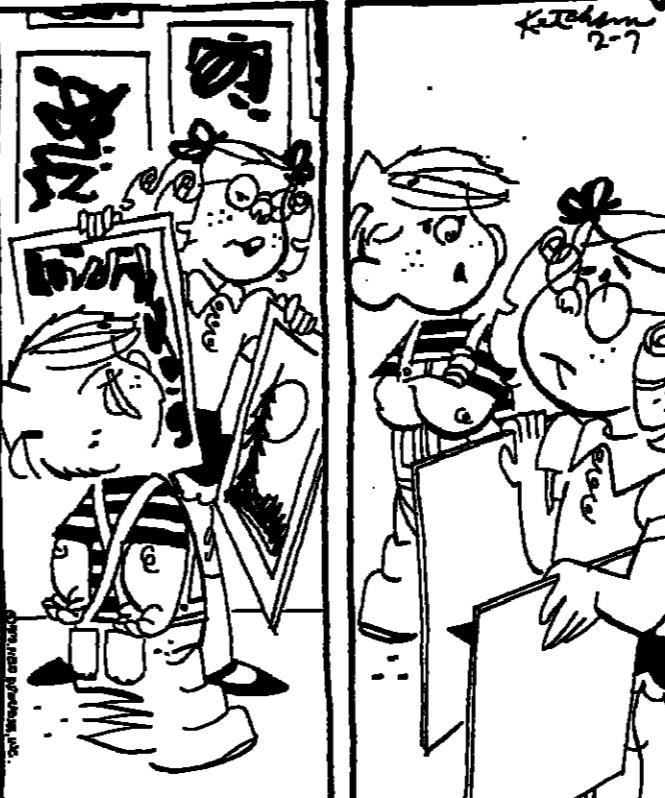
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## Dennis the Menace



## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

## Crossword

by THOMAS JOSEPH

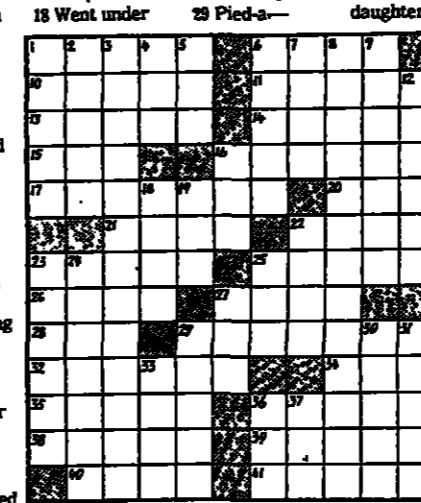
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 1 Archie  
 2 Bunker  
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 16 Debitable  
 17 Sirina  
 20 Craze  
 21 Enticement  
 22 Inlet  
 23 Meager  
 25 Shipworn  
 26 Scar  
 27 Cat's cry  
 28 "Beneficent" fellow  
 29 Cultivated land  
 32 Wed on the run  
 34 Zodiac animal  
 35 Cousteau, e.g.  
 36 Edge along  
 37 Scornful laugh  
 38 Register  
 40 Irish river  
 41 Crescent-shaped  
 DOWN  
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Yesterday's Answer

19 Small bird 20 Greek  
 22 Topid physician  
 23 Velocities 21 Polisher  
 24 "La Boheme" 22 Hammer  
 25 Noah's son 26 Cadmus's part  
 27 Half-way 28 Cadmus's daughter  
 29 Pied-a



DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it:

A X Y D L B A A X R  
is LONGFELLOW

One letter always stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three 'L's, X for the two 'O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

## CRYPTOQUOTES

J L V Z C V G J V V W J B A W S K C J N T V  
 K S G X X A W T K J J K M V G M V X  
 J K M V G C B A W S K C J N T V - M A G W  
 Yesterday's Cryptogram: HISTORY DOES NOT INTERFERE WITH THE FUTURE OF YOUTH BUT IT IS A DRAG ON THE PRESENT OF OLD PEOPLE - JAMES FEIBLEMAN

## Contract Bridge : B. Jay Becker

## A Grand Slam

West dealer. Both sides vulnerable.

## NORTH

♦ J 5 6 6

♦ Q 10 8 6 4

♦ Q J 7 3

## WEST

♦ J 7

♦ 7 5 4 3 2

♦ Q K J

♦ 10 8 6 5 4 2

## SOUTH

♦ A K Q 10 9 8 5 4 3

♦ A K Q 10

♦ —

## EAST

♦ 8 2

♦ 9 7 5 3 2

♦ 10 8 6 5 4 2

## The bidding:

West North East South

1 Pass Pass Pass 2 —

Pass 3 NT Pass 3 ♦

Pass 4 NT Pass 7 7 (1)

Dble Pass Pass

## Opening lead — king of diamonds.

Believe it or not, this deal occurred in a team of four match played in Finland. At the first table, South got to seven points during the bidding phase. Obviously, he was confident that North had to have four hearts to the Jack to be able to bid two and three.

West had the 7-5-4 of trumps, dummy had the J-9 of trumps and South had the A-K of trumps.

Declarer led the ten of spades and West found himself in a helpless position.

If he ruffed the ten of spades, declarer would cash in his dummy and play the A-K of trumps to score the rest of the tricks. And if West discarded instead of ruffing the spade ten, South would continue to lead spades and West would eventually come to the same sorry end. And so, South made seven hearts doubled for a score of 2,470 points.

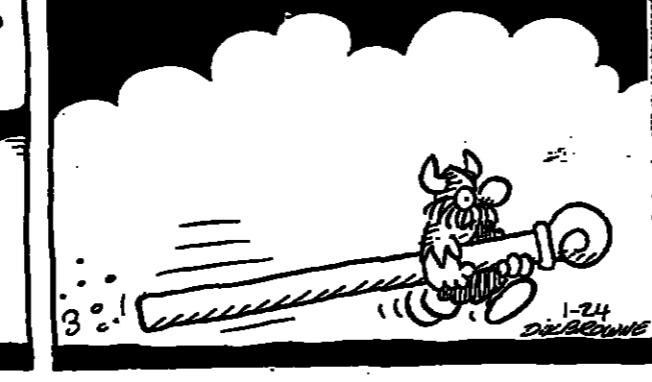
The bidding and play at the second table went much more swiftly. This was the bidding:

West North East South

1 Pass Pass Pass 7 ♦

Dble Pass Pass

## West led a diamond, ruffed by South with the ten, and declarer very properly assumed that West had to have all five missing hearts

ARAB NEWS CALENDAR  
PRAYER TIMES

**TUESDAY**  
 Fajr Israaq Dhuhr Ass Maghreb Isha  
 Mecca 5:38 6:57 12:42 3:58 6:20 7:50  
 Medina 5:42 7:00 12:43 3:56 6:17 7:47  
 Nejd 5:09 6:29 12:10 3:45 6:18 7:15

## DHARAHAN TV

Bindman: Nitron, The Human Bomb  
 Animal Secrets: Out Of The Cradle  
 Destination Papagonia  
 Pop Goes Country Show 6 B-C  
 Bicycle Safety Party  
 The Birthday Party  
 Angel, Trap  
 Night Of The Following Day

## SAUDI RADIO

**Afternoon Transmission**  
 1:00 Opening  
 1:01 The Holy Quran  
 1:05 Gems of Guidance  
 1:10 S.A. — A Daily Chronicle  
 1:15 S.A. Historical Notes  
 1:30 Off the Record  
 2:00 Your Choice  
 2:30 On Islam  
 2:40 Islam the Divine Truth  
 2:55 Music  
 3:00 NEWS  
 3:10 Press Review  
 3:15 Music  
 3:20 My Music  
 3:30 Close Down

**Evening Transmission**  
 10:00 Opening  
 10:01 The Holy Quran  
 10:05 Message to the Faithful  
 10:10 Light Music  
 10:15 NEWS  
 10:25 S.A. — A Daily Chronicle  
 10:30 Music Worldwide  
 11:00 Champions of Solidarity  
 11:10 Press Review  
 11:15 The Sixties  
 11:45 The World of Guitar  
 12:00 Islamic Contributions  
 12:15 The Songwriters  
 12:45 A Reckonerv with Dreams  
 12:59 Close Down

## BBC

**Morning Transmission**  
 8:00 World News  
 8:09 Twenty-Four Hours News Summary  
 8:30 "Sarah Ward  
 8:45 World Today  
 9:00 Newsdesk  
 9:30 "Opera Star  
 10:00 World News  
 10:09 Twenty-Four Hours News Summary  
 10:30 "Sarah Ward  
 10:45 "Something to Show You  
 11:00 World News  
 11:09 Reflections  
 11:15 Piano Style  
 11:30 Brain of Britain 1978  
 12:00 World News  
 12:09 British Press Review  
 12:15 World Today  
 12:30 Financial News  
 12:40 Look Ahead  
 12:45 The Tony Myatt Request Show  
 Evening Transmission  
 1:15 Ulster in Focus  
 1:30 Discovery  
 2:00 World News  
 2:09 News about Britain  
 2:15 Alphabet of Musical Curios  
 2:30 Sports International  
 2:40 Radio Newswheel  
 3:15 Promenade Concert  
 3:45 Sports Round-up  
 4:00 World News  
 4:09 Twenty-Four Hours News Summary

**Midnight Transmission**  
 5:15 Report on Religion  
 6:15 "Outlook  
 7:00 World News  
 7:05 Commentary  
 7:15 "Sherlock Holmes  
 7:45 World Today  
 8:00 World News  
 8:09 "Books and Writers  
 8:30 "Take One  
 8:45 Sports Round-up  
 9:00 World News  
 9:09 News about Britain  
 9:15 Radio Newswheel  
 9:30 Farming World  
 10:00 Outlook News Summary  
 10:39 Stock Market Report  
 10:43 Look Ahead  
 10:45 Ulster in Focus  
 11:00 World News  
 11:09 Twenty-Four Hours: News Summary  
 11:30 The Pleasure's Yours  
 12:15 Talkabout  
 12:45 Nature Notebook  
 1:00 World News  
 1:09 World Today  
 1:25 Financial News  
 1:35 Book Choice  
 1:40 Reflections  
 1:45 Sports Round-up  
 2:00 World News  
 2:09 Commentary  
 2:15 The Face of England

## Your Individual Horoscope

Frances Drake

FOR TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1979



What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

**ARIES** (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) You can win friends and influence people now. Others are impressed by your dynamism. The work load seems heavy, but superiors are supportive.

**TAURUS** (Apr. 20 to May 20) You'll have to come to grips with a romantic situation, before you're able to start the day's work. Once started, you make important progress.

**GEMINI** (May 21 to June 20) Don't let the price tag keep you from purchasing a necessary household item. Later, join friends at a cultural event.

**CANCER** (June 21 to July 22) Serious talks with close ones will lead to better understanding all around. You'll gain financial backing now for home improvements.

**LEO** (July 23 to Aug. 22) Listen to the advice of a family member or a partner situation. Prudence is the word that should describe your financial dealings now.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23 to Sept. 22) Though you may feel you have too much responsibility,

you're able to carry quite a load now. Why worry? Just do it.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Too much introspection could cause you to dwell on the dark side of things. Instead, keep busy and initiate fun-filled projects.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) This is a better time for attending to your own problems than for getting involved with those of others. Home projects seem blessed.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Financial considerations dominate business dealings now. Speak out at group functions. Other will be impressed by your perceptivity.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22 to Jan. 19) You're intent on financial gain now and know how to take favorable advantage of a twist of circumstances in business. Friends help out.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20 to Feb. 18) Be aggressive in launching creative projects. Get in touch with agents, publishers, and educators. Speak out for your convictions.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19 to Mar. 20) The kind word allows you to bring up more serious topics later with close ones. Confidential financial maneuvers are successful.

## WEATHER

Clear weather in most parts of the Kingdom. Cloud will cover the southwestern highlands causing rain. Fog is expected in the eastern coast, and the northeastern region in the morning.

Temperature will rise in the western and northwestern parts.

Winds will blow in various directions at moderate speed.

Sea conditions in territorial waters will be moderate to choppy.

Monday's temperatures (maximum, minimum in centigrade)

Mecca	31	19	Tebuk	21	07
Jeddah	32	18	Tureif	18	05
Riyadh	23	09	Rafha	21	07
Dhahran	23	11	Bisha	27	08
Medina	25	13	Yanbu	31	18
Taz	23	09	Abha	22	03

## VOA

**P.M.**  
 8:00 News Roundup: Reports: Actualities: Opinion: Analyses News Summary  
 8:30 Dateline News Summary  
 9:00 Special English: News  
 9:00 News about Britain  
 9:30 Music USA: (Standards)  
 10:00 News Roundup: Reports: Actualities

**10:05 Opinion: Analyses News Summary**  
 10:30 VOA Magazine: America; Science; Cultural; Letter  
 11:00 Special English: News  
 11:30 Music USA: (Jazz)  
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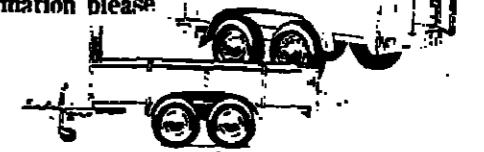
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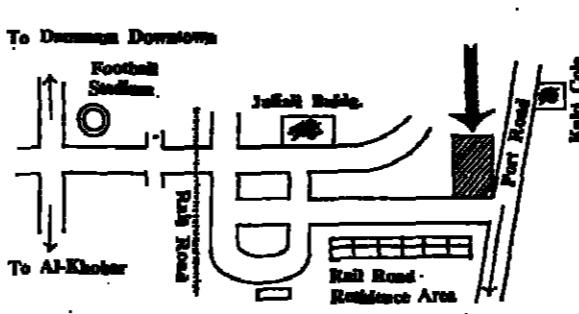
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International

Recently discovered buildup

## N. Korean army outnumbers Seoul's

SEOUL, Feb. 12 (AP)—North Korea's army is now known to be larger and better equipped than South Korea's removing the last major military advantage Seoul thought it had over the north.

But military sources here do not feel the new information, revealed after a recent reassessment of the communist army by U.S. intelligence, unduly changes the situation on the peninsula. They point out that it is not a new buildup, but one accomplished earlier and only just discovered. Also, as the top military officer in South Korea, Gen. John W. Vessey, put it in a recent interview, "Neither we nor the South Koreans have to match North Korea tank for tank, gun for gun, airplane for airplane. We have to have an aggregate a force that can defeat North Korea" if it attacks.

It has been known for some

time that the North has a much larger air force and navy than the South, and its army is more heavily armed with tanks and armored vehicles. But until the new reassessment, revealed last month, it was thought the South had a larger active army—560,000 sol-

diers to the communists' 500,000.

Vessey, who heads the U.N. Command and all U.S. services in Korea says preliminary reports on the reassessment put the North's army 25 to 30 per cent larger than thought.

The North's 600,000-man ar-

my (revised from about 500,000) is organized in 40 combat divisions instead of 28, according to the new intelligence. They also have 2,500 tanks instead of the 1,950 thought compared to the South's 840.

"(But) it isn't tank country," Vessey said. "It's rugged, mountains. The defender has a definite advantage against tanks."

Adding to the already heavy anti-tank defenses along the southern side of the Demilitarized Zone is a 15-to-20-foot high wall, now under construction, to block possible invasion routes. The South Koreans will not comment on the wall, but it is known to be faced with concrete and filled with earth and rocks about 20 feet thick.

A host of the communists' weapons are Russian-design, Chinese manufacture, although Pyongyang does manufacture its own tanks, small arms, artillery and rocket launchers, among other things.

It does not make airplanes and "probably not" sophisticated electronics, nor does Seoul.

North Korea rapidly boosted the number of tanks, armored personnel carriers and artillery between 1972 and 1977, building its forces as much as 50 per cent in five years. There have been no reports of a continued sharp build-up last year or this year.

Pyongyang's air force decisively outweighs Seoul's although the planes are older models. The North has 570 jet fighters, including 100 MiG-21s.

In tandem with the rise in support for a new treaty, the public increasingly sees a SALT pact as strengthening U.S. security, not lessening it, as critics say.

### Experts converge for study

## Two more fall to Naples disease

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The fear of a nuclear war is an overwhelming concern expressed by those interviewed. Nearly one third say a nuclear war involving the country is at least somewhat likely in the next three years. Nearly two-thirds say such a war is not likely at all and the remainder are not sure.

The burgeoning support for a new pact comes as Soviet and American negotiators work out the details of a new treaty, although no date has been set for signing a new agreement.

Eighty-one per cent of those interviewed across the country said Feb. 5 and 6 said they favor a new SALT treaty. That is six points higher than the backing found in the December AP-NBC News poll and 11 points higher than the December level.

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Officials at Santobono Hospital said the latest victims were boys aged 6 months and 11 months. Most of the children who have succumbed to the ailment have been under 18 months.

A girl of 11 months was being treated in the hospital's intensive care ward for the same symptoms — high fever and vomiting before the infant slipped into a coma.

Doctors believe the swift-striking illness is a form of viral pneumonia, most of whose victims are from this city's teeming slums.

The new deaths came on the eve of the arrival of specialists from the United States and Europe to assist their Italian colleagues in identifying the "obscure evil" and "a virus that prefers the poor."

Among those coming to Italy for consultations are two doctors from the National Institutes of Health in Bethesda, Md., and William Baine, a epidemiologist at the U.S. Center for Disease Control in Atlanta, Georgia.

Officials reported the Italian government will spend about \$120 million in emergency funds to enlarge the Naples sewer system and take other measures to try to clean up the city.

The city of 2.8 million persons has been dubbed "the Capital of Europe" for its unsanitary conditions and bouts with illness. Officials estimate that 5,000 homes have no running water and toilet facilities.

Before leaving Atlanta on Sunday, Baine said a combination of known diseases was the most likely explanation for the mystery.

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Good Morning  
In the name of the law

By Jihad Al Khuzai

An Arab, who came to work in London some years ago, quickly discovered that England is a country of the law. He found the law is applied in full, not just given lip service.

Since there are thousands of laws in England, the Arab decided to study what specifically concerned his own day-to-day life. He mastered the laws of immigration, tax and rent and a few months after moving to London was able to boast that he knew these laws better than those in the profession.

But in his early days in the country he discovered that English lawyers know the whole body of the law and found himself at a disadvantage with his knowledge only of its details.

He paid his taxes without argument until he discovered a clause overlooked by the inland Revenue. The Arab wrote to the department, carefully quoting his tax code number, to complain that too much had been demanded of him, citing the appropriate articles. The department refunded his money promptly and apologized profusely.

Next, his landlady raised the rent and threatened with eviction when he refused to comply. He went back to the books to review the rent laws and found that she could neither raise the rent as high as she wanted nor evict him. The landlady threatened to sue him and the tenant accepted the challenge.

The landlady's lawyer advised her to drop the case because he, too, found her to be in the wrong and predicted she would not only lose the case but be saddled with court costs as well.

The tenant boasted that his victory was made possible by his assiduous study of the law books in the British Museum. He proclaimed that all laws in England serve the people.

He now makes it a point to quote the law whenever his employer asks him to do anything legally questionable. He refuses to become an employer and prefers to remain in the ranks of the workers, using his knowledge to keep the employer at bay.

translated from "Ashraq Al Awas"

## Uganda says Tanzanians invading

NAIROBI, Feb. 12 (AP)—Uganda government radio said Monday Tanzanian troops using tanks and heavy artillery have pushed 50 kilometers into Uganda in one of the deepest reported penetrations of their four-month border war. A Ugandan military spokesman, believed to be President Idi Amin, was quoted as saying the situation was "very, very serious." The Uganda Broadcasting Corporation newscast, monitored in Nairobi, said fierce fighting and bombardment was continuing.

## Chicago fire kills four children

CHICAGO, Feb. 12 (AP)—A fire possibly sparked by a faulty stove swept through a South Side home early Sunday, killing four sisters and a cousin as they slept, authorities said. A sixth child was missing. A 17-year-old brother and two other sisters escaped injury by jumping from a second-floor window. One firefighter was hospitalized for smoke inhalation and a back injury. He was listed in good condition.

## Floods sweep across Portugal

LISBON, Feb. 12 (AP)—Floods from torrential rain worsened in many parts of Portugal Sunday, damaging crops and property, isolating villages and threatening a total breakdown of national telephone links. Fire and navy rescue services were joined by air force helicopters in evacuating residents of villages near Santarem 80 kilometers (50 miles) north of Lisbon, where police described flooding from the Tagus River as "rather alarming." They said some main roads in the area were completely covered by water and appealed to motorists to stay home or use other routes.

## Lightning bolt empties fish farm

MENDOZA, Argentina, Feb. 12 (AP)—A bolt of lightning struck a government-run fish farm in nearby Tunuyan, killing 11,050 trout, officials said Sunday. The fish were found dead after a thunderstorm. Zoologists said they had suffered internal bleeding and ruptured bladders, the officials reported.

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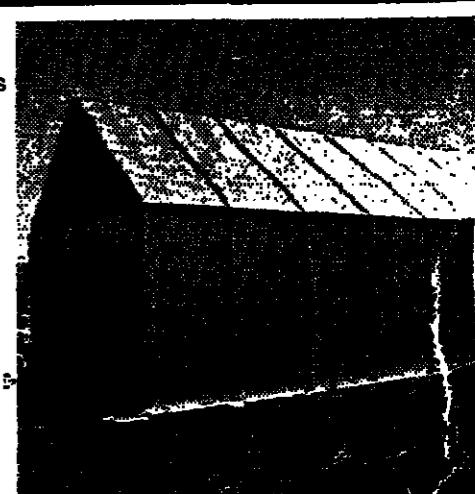
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#### Carter

revolution had triumphed, the palace was "part of the wealth, and riches of the nation" and should not be harmed. Truckloads of armed guerrillas arrived at the Hilton

Iran: For the United States itself, the outlook is cloudy. Because Washington supported Bakhtiar right to the end, not only privately but in repeated official statements, and because the United States was so completely identified with the Shah, many of the leaders of the Iranian uprising are bitterly anti-American.

In any event, neither the Ayatollah nor Bazargan is likely to remain for an extended period at the front of the Iranian stage. The Ayatollah is 78; the new prime minister is 73. Younger men are eager for major roles, and both of the old men have always seen themselves as founders, not stewards, of an Islamic republic.

He said he discovered the INS had no idea how many Iranian students were in the United States, let alone what their current status was.

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